

**REMARKS**

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed by the Office on September 2, 2004. Each claim had not been provided with the proper status identifier. Claim 2 identified as "previously amended" has now been identified as "previously presented". The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider Applicant's comments as filed on May 7, 2004.

Reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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